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FOREIGN

[Reports received from United States consuls through the Department of State and from other sources.]

Cholera, yellow fever, and plague as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, December 29, 1896, to June 22, 1897.

CHOLERA.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
India:				
Bombay	Dec. 8-Dec. 15		1	
	Dec. 22-Dec. 29		1	
	Mar. 23-Mar. 30		1	
	Mar. 31-May 11		13	
Calcutta	Nov. 14-Jan. 30		267	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27		311	
	Feb. 28-Mar. 6		125	
	Mar. 6-May 15		1,212	
Madras	Nov. 21-Nov. 27		2	
	Nov. 28-Dec. 4		1	
	Dec. 12-Dec. 25		6	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 29		22	
	Jan. 30-Feb. 26		13	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 5		2	
	Mar. 6-Mar. 19		1	
	Mar. 20-Mar. 26		2	
Singapore	Nov. 1-Nov. 30		12	
	Dec. 1-Dec. 31		5	
Ceylon:				
Colombo	Nov. 28-Jan. 23		114	
	Jan. 23-Jan. 30	1	1	
England:				
Plymouth	Jan. 9		4	On steamship *Nubia*. No cases in city.
Japan:				
Tokyo	Dec. 4-Dec. 29	8	7	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18	3	3	
Yokohama	Dec. 4-Dec. 29	4	3	
	Dec. 30-Jan. 18	2	2	

YELLOW FEVER.

Brazil:				
Bahia	May 13-May 19	5	3	
Para	Dec. 12-Jan. 30		32	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27		20	
	Feb. 27-Mar. 6		9	
	Mar. 13-Mar. 20		3	
	Apr. 3-Apr. 10		3	
Rio de Janeiro	Nov. 21-Dec. 26		10	
	Dec. 26-Jan. 30		28	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 6	12	5	
	Feb. 13-Feb. 20	21	6	
	Feb. 20-Mar. 6		16	
	Mar. 7-May 29	174	78	
Cuba: *				
Cardenas	Dec. 25-Jan. 30	84	8	
	Jan. 31-Feb. 27	38	1	
	Apr. 17-June 5	35	7	
Cienfuegos	Dec. 20-Dec. 27		8	
	Dec. 28-Jan. 17		2	
	Apr. 4-Apr. 11		1	
	May 17-May 23		1	
Habana	Dec. 17-Dec. 31	220	79	
	Jan. 1-Jan. 28	400	144	
	Jan. 28-Feb. 25	117	44	
	Feb. 25-Mar. 25	130	38	
	Mar. 25-Apr. 29	342	85	
	Apr. 30-June 17	750	181	
Manzanillo	Apr. 1-Apr. 15		1	
	May 15-May 31		1	
Matanzas	Dec. 9-Dec. 23		8	
	Dec. 23-Jan. 27		19	
	Jan. 27-Feb. 24		4	
	Feb. 25-Mar. 31		2	
	Apr. 1-June 9	9	9	

*February 28, 1897, 300 cases of yellow fever were reported among the sick soldiers on the Island.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, etc.—Continued.

YELLOW FEVER—Continued.

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Santiago	Dec. 5–Dec. 26		17	
	Dec. 26–Jan. 30		16	
	Jan. 16–Jan. 30		5	
	Jan. 30–Feb. 27		6	
	Feb. 27–Mar. 27		3	
	May 2–June 5	54	9	
Sagua la Grande	Dec. 19–Dec. 26	50	5	
	Dec. 26–Jan. 9	65	6	
	Jan. 9–Jan. 30	110	12	
	Jan. 31–Feb. 27	35	7	
	Feb. 27–Mar. 27	54	17	
	Mar. 28–June 12	234	11	
Ecuador:				
Guayaquil	Dec. 18–Jan. 1		9	
Haiti:				
Port au Prince	Dec. 1–Dec. 7		2	
	Dec. 14			Yellow fever epidemic.
	Mar. 1–Mar. 8		3	
Guadeloupe:				
Basse Terre	Jan. 5	1		
United States of Colombia:				
Panama	Apr. 14	20	17	
	June 15	82	54	Estimated.
Colon	May 12–May 25		5	

PLAGUE.

Egypt:				
Suez	Mar. 31			One case of plague on Br. S. S. *Dilwara* from Bombay.
India:				
Bombay *	Dec. 1–Dec. 22		694	This is the number of deaths officially reported. The United States consul estimates the number of deaths for the same period at 2,763.
	Dec. 22–Jan. 5		738	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,953.
	Jan. 5–Jan. 12		335	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,388.
	Jan. 12–Jan. 19		470	
	Jan. 19–Jan. 26		443	Estimated deaths for this same period, 1,462.
	Jan. 26–Feb. 23		2,884	Estimated deaths for this same period, 5,845.
	Feb. 23–Mar. 9		1,282	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,265.
	Mar. 9–Mar. 30		1,431	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,730.
	Mar. 31–May 18		1,591	Estimated deaths for this same period, 2,892.
Calcutta	Feb. 6–Feb. 13		1	
Karachi	Jan. 11			Plague epidemic; 220 cases, 214 deaths to date.
China:				
Hongkong	Dec. 13–Dec. 29			A few cases.
Swatow	May 4			Epidemic of plague reported.
Japan:				
Formosa	Nov. 6–Nov. 30	53	37	
	Dec. 4–Dec. 29		15	
	Jan. 19–Jan. 27	3		
	Feb. 23–Mar. 12	3		
	Mar. 13–Mar. 23	4		
	Mar. 24–Mar. 31	3		
	Apr. 1–Apr. 20	64	54	
	Apr. 20–May 20	268		
Taihoku	Apr. 20–Apr. 27	3		
Russia:				
St. Petersburg	Apr. 10–Apr. 17		1	
Theodosia	Mar. 31			One case of plague on Br. S. S. *Baldwin*.

* Official returns show 9,118 cases and 7,602 deaths to March 12.